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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:)
SHIGEKI HIROOKA)
Application No.: 09/337,546)
Filed: June 22, 1999)
For: ELECTRONIC MAIL PROCESSING)
METHOD AND APPARATUS : Examiner: G. C. Neurauter
: Art Unit: 2143
: April 28, 2006

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT,
STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW, AND
PETITION OF EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 28, 2005, up to and including April 28, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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